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THE FUNERAL CEREMONIES OF DEAD CHIEF OF POLICE

CITY BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSE, LARGE ASSEMBLAGE ATTEND GEORGE CULVER'S FUNERAL AND BURIAL.

REV. WILSON'S POWERFUL SERMON

Sermon Laudatory, No Criticisms, but Conservative—Funeral Under Auspices of Odd Fellows.

The services of the funeral of Geo. W. Culver, the dead chief of Police, was held at the Christian church beginning at 2 o'clock under the auspices of the Odd Fellows. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor of the First Methodist church, South, delivered the funeral address. It was intended to conduct the funeral at the city hall, but there being an inadequate number of chairs on account of their use at the revival and the attendance being so large, the corpse was conveyed to the Christian church. There was an over-flowing attendance at the church and a large number of people remained at the city hall waiting the conclusion of the funeral services.

Rev. Wilson held his audience intensely interested during his funeral discourse.

There were no evasions of references to the career of the dead chief of police and there were no criticisms. He dwelt on the disadvantage of the enforced environment of the chief of police in the pursuance of his duties, and most convincingly portrayed the extreme hardships with which Mr. Culver had been met during the tenure of his office and how unavoidable was much of his association, that under ordinary environment might be subject to criticism.

The Rev. Wilson reached many eloquent periods during his sermon and the effect on the audience appeared to be powerful. What ever influences were responsible for the growth of that mental abandonment of George Culver which led him to self destruction were severely arraigned and with much stress and feeling there was delivered the severest exhortation of those men, who might "reputedly be good members of society, but who had imposed on the good heart and liberal nature of George Culver in a manner that must have resulted

in much of his unhappiness. Rev. Wilson dwelt on the admirableness of physical courage, how essentially it was component with good principle and the knowledge of the undoubted possession of it by George Culver. "He was absolutely physically brave" He referred to a time in the existence of the affairs of the city when the deceased had, as a young and inexperienced officer, fought crime without the co-operation of older and more experienced officers.

The sermon was laudatory of the dead chief of police, but withal conservative.

Interspersed with references to the deceased were intelligent and effective discussions of the great need of all men for spiritual guidance, the urgency, if the path of danger and destruction be avoided, of trust in Jesus Christ and executions of his teachings.

The Rev. A. L. Carter, distinguished revivalist singer sang a very impressive solo and conducted the singing ceremonies.

A large procession accompanied the remains to Rosedale for interment.

The business houses of the city closed during the time of the funeral and burial.

There is pronounced sorrow throughout the town and the feeling appears to be that the dead past shall bury its dead as far as any frailties of George Culver are concerned and that there shall be preserved the remembrances of his many admirable qualities.

Mrs. George Culver has the entire sympathy of the community.

CLOSED FOR THE FUNERAL.

We, the undersigned business men, do hereby agree to close our places of business from 1:30 to 3:30 o'clock p. m. of this day while the funeral of our late Chief of Police George Culver is being conducted:

S. T. Williams, Hubers' Grocery, E. E. Fowler, A. D. Coon, F. Z. Holley, O. K. Market, Ada Natl. Bank, M. & P. Bank, B. J. Corn, Ada Adv. Co., N. Worthington, C. Ogee, W. O. Neely, Peterson & Mooney, W. C. Rollow, Patterson & Elliston, E. J. Rodgen, E. P. Meigs, J. H. Neel, D. H. Gyser, R. G. Knott, Grand Leader, M. Walsh, S. E. Chapman, W. C. Lee, Evans & Coffman, Guest Bros., Ross Tipton, Ada Drug Co., L. J. Crowder, C. R. Drummond, C. J. Warren, Mad-Ox Drug Co., First Natl. Bank, I. Harris, J. M. Stanfield, G. M. Ramsey, Ada Elec. & Gas Co., Sprague Bros., Farmers State Bank, Geo. Stonum, Shaw's Nickel Store, Surprise Store, L. T. Walters, S. I. Tobias, L. J. Little, T. O. Cullins, Gwin & Mays Co., Westcott Merc. Co., J. J. Dodds, W. L. Johnston, Evans & Dennis, G. W. High, R. E. Haynes, Oklahoma State Bank, W. J. Reed, R. F. Smith, J. T. Reed, Ada Planing Co., Joe Kemp, M. Levin, D. A. Dorsey, W. S. James, Joe Foster, M. Roberts.

FIRE SWEEPS PORTLAND, OREGON

MOST DESTRUCTIVE FIRE OF THE WEST SINCE THE BURNING OF SAN FRANCISCO.

200 Horses Burned, Seven Lives Lost and Seven Blocks Burned—Fire Started in Exposition Building.

Portland, Ore., July 14.—Bodies of six more fire victims have been recovered. The bodies were found in the remains of a garage which was destroyed. An explosion is supposed to have caused the death of the men.

Portland, Ore., July 14.—The most disastrous fire that has visited the west since the destruction of San Francisco broke out in Portland Thursday.

One is known to be dead, one will die, and three men are missing. The property loss is estimated to be over a quarter of a million dollars.

For hours the whole city of Portland was in danger and it was only by the heroic work of the local fire department and those of surrounding cities that were rushed here, that the whole of the West side was not burned.

Early Thursday morning the fire started in one of the old exposition buildings. The wind was high and before the firemen could reach the building it was in a mass of flames.

Horses Are Burned.

Two hundred horses that were in the building were burned. They broke loose from their stalls and stampeded, but none were taken out alive.

Frank R. Price of Oregon City, who with three other men, was sleeping in the Fashion stable, is known to have perished in the burning building. His three companions are still missing, and it is feared they were crushed by the frightened horses either in attempting to save the animals or in their effort to gain an opening in the building.

A young man, whose name is unknown, was taken from the exposition building by firemen and rushed to the hospital. He was terribly burned and it is feared he will not live through the day.

Fanned by the high wind, which at 4:30 had increased to a gale, the fire and thick bank of smoke jumped the street from the exposition building and wrapped half a dozen apartment houses in flames.

All of the occupants of the apartments escaped. The suddenness of the fire, however, prevented them from saving any of their possessions.

Athletic Club Burns.

To the south of the exposition building the Multnomah Athletic club, one of the largest and most completely furnished of any in the west, burned to the ground without any attempt whatever being made to save it. The fire companies were busy working before the gale of smoke and fire in an attempt to check its headway.

Despairing of stopping the devastation after seven whole blocks had burned and the blaze was rapidly nearing the Studebaker Automobile company, the fire fighters resorted to dynamite. After a block of buildings in the path of the blaze were razed to the ground the fire was gotten under control.

Seven Blocks Burn.

In all seven city blocks in an area of about ten acres were burned in what the chief of the fire department declares was the shortest time that he ever knew of a fire of such immense proportions.

During the progress of the fire all telegraph and telephone wires in West Portland were down and all communication with that side of the river was cut off.

Home Burned.

The home of I. Hodge near Knox at the O. C. switch was burned last night. No particulars have been learned only that W. B. Adair has gone out there with blood hounds. It is supposed that the fire was of incendiary origin.

HUNDRED AND SIXTY PERISH LIKE RATS

HORROR OF WRECK AT SEA EQUALS ANY SEA DISASTER THAT HAS EVER OCCURRED.

Men Fight Like Madder Brutes—Women and Children Are Crushed While They Kneel in Prayer.

Odessa, July 14.—With men fighting like madder brutes, women and children crushed to death as they knelt in prayer, one hundred and sixty persons perished like rats in a trap in the steamer Lovki when it sank in the Black sea, while a mass of flames after it crashed into the steamer Wampoa in the fog of early Thursday morning.

The horror of the wreck equalled any sea disaster that has ever occurred on water. Within fifteen minutes after the collision there was no trace of the Lovki except a piece of charred debris as it rose on the crest of a wave and a few floating bodies of the victims.

Crash in a Fog.

The crash occurred early in the morning when all passengers were asleep. The fog was heavy and except a few watchmen the majority of the steamer's crew were also in their bunks.

The bump was of such force that it threw many from their bunks, injuring them seriously. Men, women and children frantically rushed to the deck of the ship and the sight of the tangled, blazing debris caused a panic that the ship's crew were powerless to stop.

A few moments after the crash the boilers of the disabled vessel exploded and many of the victims were scalded to death. As men and women rushed from place to place their clothes burned from their bodies and the smell of the burning flesh, mingled with the groans of the dying, men fought like madmen crushing women and children as they attempted to gain a part of the ship where the flames had not yet reached.

Mothers in their frantic efforts to save their children threw them overboard from the burning ship only to see them drown.

Before the steamer Wampoa, which was also disabled by the collision, could man their lifeboats the Lovki had foundered. Less than a score of those on the ship were saved.

Many of the dead are reported to be Jewish fugitives from Russia, who were on their way to America.

An Expression.

The office and mechanical rooms of the News suspended business during the time of the funeral services and passing of the funeral cortege of George Culver, deceased. Mr. Culver was chief of police of the city of Ada and a friend of its daily press and all the force of the News mourns his departure.

A MODERN BLUE-BEARD MYSTERY

WORLD WIDE HUNT STARTS FOR DR. CRIPPIN, AN AMERICAN.

London Cellar Yields Up Decomposed Body of Belle Elmore, a Beautiful Music Hall Character.

London, July 14.—Scotland Yard, most famous aggregation of sleuths in Christendom, has a real live murder mystery to work on, and its minions are on the trail of a modern "Bluebeard."

The enigma is deeper than the Charlton case and is the result of the discovery of the body of a woman in the basement of the home of Dr. Hawley Crippen, American dentist in North London.

Although it was the first belief that the remains were those of Belle Elmore, beautiful American singer, wife of the dentist, fresh testimony from neighbors led to the belief that another woman was the victim of what the police say is a most daring murder.

The police world today took up the case of the dentist who disappeared June 9. The mystery has been added to by the introduction of a third figure, Ethel Leneve, pretty typist. She is thought to be with Crippin and the belief is entertained that Crippin's relations with various women will reveal a career as startling as that of "Bluebeard."

Search Steamers.

The Scotland Yard officials Thursday cabled a request to the American police to search incoming steamers for Crippin.

The case is strikingly similar to that of the Charlton murder at Lake Como, Italy. Both women were actresses who left American homes to meet death by violence in foreign lands and in each instance the police pursued the American husband to the shores of his native land.

Dr. Crippin, dentist aged 50 years, made his home for some time in North London. Some time ago his wife, Belle Elmore, a vaudeville artist and treasurer of the Music Hall Artists Guild, disappeared.

Subsequently a notice of her death appeared in the local papers. The fact of the demise was more or less

gossip and this finally reached the ears of the police. The officers visited Crippin and the interview appeared satisfactory.

Crippin Disappears.

Saturday noon last Crippin disappeared and since the police have not been able to locate him. Wednesday a search of the Crippin house was made and the battered body of a woman was found buried in the cellar.

It had been placed in quicklime and was burned beyond recognition. However, the finding of the body, together with other discoveries Thursday left no doubt in the minds of the authorities that the murdered woman was Mrs. Crippin.

The police believe that Crippin sailed Saturday for the United States and state he was accompanied by Ethel Leneve, a French woman, whom he recently introduced as his wife. This woman is believed to be dressed in male attire.

A MOUNTAIN COVERED WITH FLAMES

Whitish Mountain Threatened With Forest Fires Which Are Licking Up Everything in Its Path.

Great Falls, Mont., July 14.—A special to the Tribune from Whitefish says that town is in the center of a fierce fire sweeping the mountainside, licking up logging and tie camps and threatening the town itself.

While it is not in immediate danger, all precautions are being taken, the waterworks thoroughly tested and fire hose made ready for instant use.

The fire started on the west side of Lion mountain and, fanned by a wind from the southwest, it burst over the summit about 1 o'clock Wednesday and came raging down the other side. Huge billows of flames and smoke were swept from this height out across the lake. The smoke is so thick that it is difficult to breathe and the sun is obscured.

On the mountainside there were a number of logging and tie camps and several of these already have been destroyed, the occupants fleeing for their lives. So far as known there has been no loss of life.

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DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are the names of candidates for public office subject to the action of the Democratic primaries occurring August 2nd.

The Democratic public is assured that the names appearing below represent Democrats, who are regardless of the proper support of the Democratic press and respectful toward the wishes of the people who desire to become well acquainted with the name and reputation of the man for whom they vote.

For Governor:

LEE CRUCE
LESLIE P. ROSS
BRANT KIRK

For Attorney General:
CLINT GRAHAM

For Judge Criminal Court of Appeals:
HENRY M. FURMAN

For Clerk Supreme Court:
W. H. L. (Swamp) CAMPBELL

For State Corporation Commissioner:
GEO. A. HENSHAW

For District Judge 7th District, Two Elect:

TOM D. MCKIBOWN
A. T. WEST
ROBT. M. RAINEY

For State Senator 23rd District:
REUBEN M. RODDIE

For Representative:
JOHN P. CRAWFORD
W. H. NETTLES

For Mine Inspector District No. 1:
JOHN O'BRIEN

For Secretary of State:
BEN F. HARRISON
LEO MYER

For State Insurance Commissioner:
W. H. HARRIS
MILAS LASATER

For County Judge:
CONWAY O. BARTON
A. M. CROXTON
EDGAR S. RATLIFF
J. E. GRIGSBY
S. R. TOLBERT

For Sheriff:
SAM MCCLURE
GEO. THOMPSON
LEM MITCHELL
ANDY H. CHAPMAN
J. C. FARMER

For County Clerk:
W. S. KERR
M. F. DEW

For District Clerk:
W. T. COX
L. C. LINDSEY

For County Treasurer:
J. K. SCROGGINS
J. W. WESTBROOK
R. H. (Rit) ERWIN

For County Attorney:
ROBT. L. WIMBISH
ROBT. C. ROLAND

For Register of Deeds:
WILMER B. JONES
CROCKET C. HARGIS

For Superintendent Public Schools:
PROF. T. F. PIEROE

For County Weigher:
JOHN WARD
SHERWOOD HILL

For County Commissioner West Dist.:
GEAS. W. FLOYD

Candidate for Floterial Representative Pontotoc and Seminole Counties:

J. L. BARHAM
T. L. PRINM

Justice of the Peace, Ada Precinct:
HENRY J. BROWN

For Constable, Ada Precinct:
E. L. BUNCH

For (Trustee) Tax Assessor Chickasaw Township:
J. R. FLOYD
T. V. B. MULLENAX

For (Trustee) Tax Collector, Midland Township:
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There are none so blind as those who simply close their eyes against the truth when it is presented to them. The Socialists are still refusing to believe that the grandfather amendment will not disfranchise illiterate white men, even in the face of the reading of the amendment and its workings in other states.

Their leaders have told them this and they seem to have more confidence in what they say than in what they can read for themselves in the wording of the amendment. And yet, Marvin Brown, one of their own number, charges that some of these leaders are no better than grafters who are living off the rank and file of the party.

A few days ago some of our Socialist friends were kicking at the grandfather amendment because "it would disfranchise American citizens." They seem to lose sight of the fact that the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the constitution of the United States which made the negro a full fledged citizen and voter were thrust down the throats of the Southern people with Yankee bayonets. The methods employed in securing their adoption were such that it is extremely doubtful if either amendment was ever legally ratified. The United States Supreme court has always side-stepped the question and the people have never been able to get a decision on its merits. They urge that the grandfather amendment should say negro if that is what it means. We only wish it could but while the amendment above mentioned stands no law can be passed that discriminates against any man on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude. Well, then, if the grandfather amendment specified the negro by name that would have the effect of discriminating against him because of his color, and unless the courts should declare the two amendments to the United States constitution illegal, any man on earth capable of understanding the English language can see that it would be in conflict and therefore be knocked out. As it is the amendment is so worded that it has already stood the test of the supreme court and is fully as effective as if the word negro was urged. We again offer to fight the amendment and vote the Socialist ticket if any one can show us how a white man or Indian can be disfranchised by this measure.—Ada Democrat.

Three women are now full-fledged members of the police department of Spokane. They are: Captain Bertha Smith of the Salvation Army, and Mrs. Ella Jones and Mrs. N. W. Alexander of the Volunteers of America. They wear the regulation stars and will don uniforms of dark blue when on duty. Their quarters are in the city jail, where they are designated as matrons, and they have full charge of all women prisoners. These three women have divided the work into three shifts of eight hours each, so that one is on duty all the time. Mayor Nelson S. Pratt and Commissioner Armstrong are highly pleased with the innovation and John T. Sullivan, chief of the force, and the rank and file are of the opinion the new members will be of inestimable value to the department. The women were appointed after strict civil service examinations, and their pay has been fixed at \$30 a month. Captain Smith has had several years experience in police work as an officer of the Salvation Army and will probably have command of the squad.

NOTICE TO CITY VOTERS

DON'T FAIL TO REGISTER

Voters of the First ward of Ada will register at City Hall with A. D. Tanner. Second ward voters will register with John Van Meter at Dorland hotel. Third Ward voters will register with A. Kilpatrick at the court house and at the blue gin. Fourth ward voters will register with W. C. Lee at his place of business on East Main. Yours respectfully,

A. L. NETTLES, Chairman.

A. R. SUGG, Secretary County Election Board.

TARIFFS ON RAILROADS ARE SUSPENDED

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION IS TAKING VACATION.

In Twelve Months Ending July 1 the Body Disposed of Enormous Business.

Washington, July 14.—After making public its decisions in three highly important cases, the interstate Commerce commission today practically wound up its work for the busiest twelve month period of its existence, and the commissioners left Washington for duty in the field or for their annual vacations.

Investigate Reasonableness.

Far and away the most momentous of the decisions formally announced by the commission today was that at its meeting yesterday it had decided to suspend all railroad tariffs naming general and important advances in rates, pending investigations into the reasonableness of the proposed advances.

This action was taken under authority of the act amending the interstate commerce law which was passed after such a memorable struggle during the recent session of congress. Under this provision of the new act the commission is empowered to suspend proposed increases of rates for a period of four months for the purpose of investigating the reasonableness of the proposed advances. But if the commission finds at the end of the four-month period that it has not been possible to complete its investigation it may further suspend the proposed increases, but not for a longer time than ten months in all.

Busiest Year in History.

Through the twelve months ending with July 1 the commission disposed of more cases than in any previous twelve months of its existence. Some of these cases were of the greatest importance and affected large sections of the country. In all 931 cases were disposed of during the period, and there still remains at issue before the commission 544 cases. At the beginning of the period, July 1, 1909, there were on the docket 759 cases, so that by hard work of its year the commission reduced the number of cases pending before it by more than 200. The number of cases filed during the twelve months were 694. Twenty-two cases previously decided were reopened in that period.

In the month of June the number of cases decided was 172, in May 112 and in April 105. It will thus be seen that the commission is a hard-working body. Its work for the future, at least for a few years to come, will be even heavier than it has been in the past, because of the increased powers given it under the act amending the interstate commerce law which was passed at the recent session of congress.

The cost of the commission is now nearly \$1,000,000 a year, its actual expenditures in the last fiscal year having been \$988,936. Its increased work and powers will no doubt make necessary heavier expenditures in the future.

W. C. T. U. Notes.

Since the last World's Convention, three and one-half years ago, the total increase in membership in the United States alone has been 62,000. In 47 great industrial centers each with a population of over 20,000, saloons have been entirely abolished and six states have passed laws prohibiting the sale of drinks.

Very few people understand the true nature of prohibition. They say prohibition does not prohibit. Whoever said it would absolutely prohibit. But it is the only thing in the world that has made the liquor traffic sit up and take notice.

The disgrace of any nation does not consist in the fact that some things calling themselves men sneak out by the back alley and sell the stuff in spite of all we can do, neither does it consist in the fact that some men have abnormal appetites, the disgrace that blackens civilization is that any so-called Christian government should throw the purple and ermine of the law over a business which dishonors womanhood, degrades manhood and beggars childhood. The wonder is that at this high tide of Christian civilization any locality or country will for a money consideration called revenue or license fee legalize and permit the sale of that which causes thirty-five per cent of the insanity, forty per cent of the idiosyncrasy, eighty per cent of the poverty and ninety per cent of the crime.

Woe unto them that justify the wicked for a reward, and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him.

MAY LEAD BAND OF MOUNTAINEERS

FATHER OF ANTI-SALOON DETECTIVE THREATENS REVENGE ON MOB THAT LYNCHED HIS SON.

Offers a Big Reward for the Ring-leaders—Says Son Was Justified in What He Did.

Cleveland, Ohio, July 14.—Cleveland associates of Carl Etherington, the Anti-Saloon league detective who was lynched at Newark, declared that Hartwell Etherington, his father, would lead a band of mountaineers from Kentucky that would invade the Ohio City to seek revenge for his son's death. It also was said he would offer a big reward for the names of the ringleaders of the mob. The elder Etherington will receive \$5,000 from the Anti-Saloon league and this it is said, will be offered as the reward.

Private advices from Willsburg, Pa., said that the invading party would be heavily armed and if it marches upon Newark there likely will be a recurrence of the trouble of the lynching. Hartwell Etherington in speaking of the death of his son said, according to a dispatch received here:

"My son was justified in what he did. No other man would allow another to pursue him without attempting to defend himself. It is a shame for any city government to have officers who cannot even take care of those who are there to enforce the law. I will see that things are made right."

Hotel Arrivals.

Harris—Geo. W. Hall, Oklahoma City; W. J. Woodliff, Oklahoma City; W. S. Hammon, Oklahoma City; W. A. Unsell, St. Louis; J. H. Alexander, Chicago; I. L. Reeder, St. Louis; J. W. McNeal, Guthrie, W. Ward, W. A. Conkling, Mrs. Joe Home, W. E. Little, P. M. Kaskel, Chicago; W. G. Chandler, Lawton.

Chapman—Dr. Ellis, Mrs. Norris and children, Stratford.

Dorland—Lizzie Stephens, Sapulpa; W. B. Owen, Ft. Worth.

Byrd—G. W. Cox and wife, city; E. S. Speer, Terrell, Texas.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of The Texas Department Store, a Corporation, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice of Sale by Trustee.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the order of the Referee in Bankruptcy herein, the undersigned, Trustee, will on Monday, the 25th day of July, 1910, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the store building formerly occupied by the above named bankrupt in the city of Ada, Pontotoc county, Oklahoma, the general stock of merchandise, consisting of dry goods, hats, shoes, clothing, hardware and groceries, together with the notes and accounts of said bankrupt estate, sale to be at public auction at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M., on said day and subject to confirmation by the Referee in Bankruptcy.

Dated this 13th day of July, 1910.
10td W. C. EDWARDS,
Trustee.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the matter of The Texas Department Store, a Corporation, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy.

Notice of Proposed Sale.

To the creditors of the Texas Department Store, a Corporation, of Ada, Pontotoc County, said District, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of July, 1910, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., there will be a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt at the law office of J. F. McKeel in the City of Ada, Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, for the purpose of considering the proposed sale of the following property, to-wit:

A general stock of merchandise, consisting of dry goods, hats, shoes, clothing, hardware and groceries, together with the notes and accounts of said bankrupt estate, and if objection to said sale is not made, or if objected to, it is ordered forthwith to attend the sale of said property at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, subject to confirmation by the undersigned Referee.

Dated at McAlester, said District, this 13th day of July, 1910.

R. H. MATTHEWS,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

CHIEF OF POLICE COMMITS SUICIDE

ADA OFFICER BLOWS OUT HIS BRAINS BEFORE CROWD AT THEATER.

The above head lines and the following article are replicas of the Oklahoman's report of the George W. Culver tragedy.

Ada, Okla., July 14.—This city was thrown in a fever of excitement Wednesday night when Chief of Police George Culver deliberately pulled his revolver and blew his own brains out in the presence of a fair sized crowd at the Airdome theater on Main street. The exact reason for his rash act cannot be learned. The dead man remarked to several just before the shooting that he was going to kill himself, but all thought he was only joking. Just before the fatal shot was fired, Culver was seen at the ticket window talking with the ticket seller. His wife was seen to approach and say something to him, and then Culver jerked out his gun, placing it to his head just behind the ear, and fired a ball through the skull. He died in a few minutes.

Mr. Culver was a young man, and came here several years ago from Grayson county, Texas. He was one of the officers who went to Fort Worth, Tex., and brought back Jim Miller, who later was hanged here by a mob.

Tries Prayer Cure on Child.

Kansas City, July 14.—Paul Bell, the young son of Eugene Bell, an unordained minister of the Church of God, of this city, is suffering from infantile paralysis. In accordance with the father's beliefs, the prayer cure is being tried upon this child. Members of the family or other members of the church are gathered continually about Paul's bed praying.

Several days ago the boy was coming to the house from play. Suddenly he began to drag his left leg. He became extremely weak. He found it impossible to raise either arm above a horizontal position. He went to the dinner table, was unable to eat and fell forward on his face. The case was diagnosed today as the strange infantile paralysis.

Another case of infantile paralysis, making five in the state in the last month, was reported to the Kansas board of health Wednesday. The victim is the 7-year-old child of Del Corning in Brown county. The child is suffering from the disease in its acute form. Dr. S. J. Crumline, secretary of the state board of health, sent notices to health officers today that they must report to him all new cases of the disease.

JUDGE W. C. EDWARDS TRUSTEE FOR TEXAS DEPT. STORE

The Texas Department Store, which was adjudicated bankrupt June 20th, had its first meeting of creditors Tuesday, July 12th at the offices of J. F. McKeel.

Hon. R. H. Matthews of McAlester, referee of bankruptcy of this district, was present and presided at the meeting of the creditors. The larger number of the creditors were represented, but principally through the persons of their attorneys. Many items of claims were presented and approved.

Judge W. C. Edwards was elected trustee of The Texas Department Store. The manner of the disposal of the business will be subject to court.

WANTS

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WANTED—At once. A wet nurse. Call on Mrs. Will Neathery, corner of Rennie and 16th street. Phone No. 41.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A four room house situated on West Main street at \$12.50 a month. Phone 234.

FOR RENT—New four room house in Donghey addition. Geo. Gibson at Chapman's Shoe store.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Mrs. Harry Parks.

FOR RENT—New five room house with modern conveniences. 18th and Broadway. Mrs. Mabel Brawall.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 419 W. 13th St. Mrs. Mary Underwood.

Church Directory

"EVERY BOY AND GIRL IN SUNDAY SCHOOL AND EVERYBODY AT CHURCH."

Asbury Methodist Church.
Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:15.
Sunday school at 9:45. T. W. Robinson, superintendent.
Junior League at 2 p. m. with Mrs. C. W. Shepard.
Intermediate League at 3 o'clock.
Senior League at 6 p. m.
Woman's Home Mission 1st and 3rd Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
MARSHALL DUPREE, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.
Sunday School at 9:45. Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

First Baptist Church.
Sunday school 9:45. W. C. Duncan, superintendent. Preaching 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. J. R. Union, 4 p. m. S. R. Union 7 p. m. Ladies Aid and Mission Society Monday, 4 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. C. STUBBLEFIELD, Pastor.

Christian Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Leroy Anderson, pastor.
Sunday School at 10 a. m. L. T. Walters, superintendent.
Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening of 8:00.
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

First Methodist Church.
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Intermediate and Jr. League meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 p. m., ex-noon at 3 o'clock. Bible study Friday night at 7:30.

North Ada Baptist Church.
Sunday school 10 a. m. each Sunday. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. each Sunday. Ladies Aid Tuesday 4:30 p. m. each week. Prayer meeting 8 p. m. each Tuesday. Business conference Tuesday night before the Fourth Sunday in each month. Teachers meeting Friday 8 p. m. at Pastor's home. Preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Second and Fourth Sundays in each month. O. E. FOWLER, Pastor. A. N. Harrison, Clerk and S. S. Supt. Mrs. D. Rushing. Pres. Ladies Aid.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

W. O. W.
Ada Camp, No. 563. Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

Ada Aerie, No. 1744.
Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

I. O. O. F.
Ada lodge No. 82. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Denton, N. G.; C. F. Chauncey, secretary.

Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 144.
Meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. Lola Harin; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

Magnolia Lodge K. of P.
Magnolia Lodge No. 146. K. of P. meet every second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month. U. G. Winn, Chancellor Commander; J. W. Westbrook, Secretary.

FRISCO.

North Bound.
No. 503—Eastern Exp.10:30 a. m.
No. 510—Meteor. 4:02 p. m.

South Bound.
No. 509—Meteor.11:56 a. m.
No. 507—Sherman Exp. 5:10 p. m.
Effective 12:01 a. m., June 12th, 1910.

OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.
Westbound.
No. 3 due 10:25 a. m.
Local due 11:30 a. m.
Eastbound.
No. 2 due 3:40 p. m.
Local due 12:45 p. m.

M. K. & T.
Southbound.
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.
Northbound.
No. 112 due 4:57 p. m.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Smith Sells Furniture. dt

Picnic at Fitzhugh on Tomorrow.

Prof. A. L. Fentem went to Vanoss today.

Best cleaning, pressing and dyeing. Pitt & Stubblefield. Phone 171. tf

Mr. J. C. Warren went to Francis yesterday.

Mr. R. E. Blanks returned yesterday from southwest Texas.

Fresh shipment Dolly Varden Chocolates and bonbons. Ramsey Drug Co. 11-tf

Robert Wimbish and son went to Vanoss today.

Mrs. Dr. Castleberry left this morning for Cook county, Texas.

I. Harris' Clearance Sale on Suits will continue, until the entire light weight suits are closed out.

Supt. Pierce is attending the picnic at Vanoss today.

Master Floyd Jordon left this morning for Carrollton, Tex.

If you can't afford to buy a suit we can sell you a pair of pants to make the season through. A great variety to choose from at Clearance prices. I. HARRIS.

Mr. J. A. Ferguson is attending the picnic at Vanoss today.

All Boys Suits with knicker pants at Clearance Prices. 25 per cent discount. Amongst them are many heavy weights, good for fall wear. It will pay you to come to I. Harris.

Mr. W. D. French, who is attending the Normal here, left this morning for his home in Milburn.

Eyes are very important, and errors of refraction require especial attention. I have had 20 years experience in examining eyes, and use the most modern methods such as the Reti-scope and Aphthaimoscope and can thereby insure perfect results. All glasses guaranteed to give satisfaction. DR. F. A. LEFEVRE. tf

Mrs. Davis and two daughters, Clyde and Goldie, who have been visiting Mrs. Chapman left today for their home in Commerce, Tex.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits are very seldom seen at sale prices. They are good values at full price but as the season is over they must be closed at Clearance Prices. 25 per cent from the regular price. I Harris.

Mrs. Paul Allen's mother, Mrs. H. C. Curtis, sister Miss Nellie Curtis, and grandmother, Mrs. Tellum of Greenville, Tex., are spending a few days here.

It is just as necessary that an eye glass or spectacle frame should fit properly as the lens itself. I measure the face carefully and have the lenses and frames made in St. Louis and can insure a perfect fit. Dr. F. W. LeFevre. 3td-ltw

Mr. A. H. Chapman, candidate for sheriff, who has been out of town all week on his campaign has just returned.

JIM BULLARD Drayage and Transfer

All orders taken care of promptly and carefully. Prices reasonable. I haul the largest loads and have equipment for heavy work.

Piano Moving A Specialty

CAPTURE TWO; CHARGED WITH HORSE STEALING

Ada Officers Make a Successful Haul This Morning.

Officers Jim Adair, Bob Nester and Bob Duncan brought in two men from near Tyrola this morning, who are charged with the theft of a span of horses and two mules belonging to a Mr. Ray of that place on or about July 4th.

The animals were missed from the range at that time and the A. H. T. A. was notified. The ants were not long in locating the missing stock, and when traced back suspicion pointed to Oscar and Walter Gough as the first to sell them. It is alleged that there is strong evidence to that effect. The Gough brothers were batching in a little house about four miles this side of Tyrola. This morning or rather late last night Deputy John Kitchen and W. B. Adair went out to make the arrest. Several men of the community volunteered to help the officers and the place where the two men live was surrounded, but upon investigation it was found no one was at home. However, the officers arrested and brought back one man Farrell Sales of that neighborhood who was wanted for disturbing the peace.

Kitchen and W. B. Adair then returned to Ada. About eight o'clock this morning Jim Adair, Bob Nester and Duncan put out for Blackburn's gin, thinking they would catch the parties wanted, as the father of the Gough boys live there. The two men arrested had been there but was on their way back to their place of abode in a wagon. So the officers started in pursuit and succeeded in over taking and capturing them just as they were getting home. Though the men were armed, the capture was made without any show of resistance.

ALLEN PICNIC IS A SUCCESS

Carlton Weaver returned yesterday afternoon from Steedman and Allen where he had gone in the interest of Hon. W. H. Murray's candidacy for governor, making speeches at both places.

He reports that the picnic at Allen yesterday was a success in every respect, that lots of candidates for both state and county offices were present and presented their claims to the people. He states that a large crowd was present and that there were a large number of good attractions, good water, good music by the band and lots of excellent speeches, and that the people of Allen royally entertained every body, serving a most excellent and bountiful dinner.

SOUTH BOUND FRISCO IN THE DITCH

Yesterday the south bound Frisco passenger, No. 509, plunged into a ditch near Ravia. The track was torn up considerably some coaches were demolished, but fortunately no one was seriously injured. No. 510, north bound was detoured over the Rock Island from Randolph via Coalgate, thence by the way of the Katy to Ada. A good many Frisco passengers north came in yesterday afternoon on the "Dinky" that runs from Sulphur to Scullin. It is thought the track will be repaired and traffic will be resumed today, but nothing definite is learned at this writing.

ENJOYABLE AND SUCCESSFUL PICNIC AT VANOSS TODAY

The picnic at Vanoss today was well attended by people both near and far. The candidates were there in full force and presented their claims. There was served a good dinner, and the affair was enjoyed by all present.

New Industry for Ada.

Mr. D. A. Herring states that the Municipal Paving Company of Dallas, Tex., is installing a rock asphalt crusher up near the cement plant for the purpose of causing the rock asphalt to be shipped to Sherman, Dallas, and other points where they have contracts for paving with the Ada asphalt. The asphalt is to be furnished by D. A. Herring of this city.

UNCLE DICK FLOYD BROUGHT BACK TO ADA FROM MARLIN

Jeff Reed and A. H. Constant returned from Marlin, Tex., with Uncle Dick Floyd last night. While Mr. Floyd stood the trip fairly well the delay caused by the Frisco wreck yesterday was severe on him. He is resting fairly well this morning.

GOD'S LOVE FOR THE WANDERER

Near a Thousand People Hear Evangelist Hendrick Tell of God's Love for Those Who Have Wandered Afar.

To say a thousand people heard the evangelist Hendrick last evening would be no exaggeration. The big tent was filled to its capacity, though more seats had been placed than any previous night. The congregation, as well as the interest in the revival, is still growing. A large number of children had taken their place in the choir and added greatly to the song service. In short the singing was more general and was entered into with more spirit and life throughout the entire congregation.

In conducting the music, Rev. Carter, manifests as much executive ability as song ability so to speak, and that is a great deal to be sure. The evening being warm he asked permission to remove his coat this being given he removed his coat, and needless to say others followed his example, and the singing was done freely, easily and much more comfortably.

Rev. Hendrick in his preliminary remarks suggested that more dogs were crowding around the altar than he could well preach to—later asking that all members of the canine family be left at home saying humorously he has never been able to convert one of them anyway.

The minister's theme was "God's Love for the Wanderer," and his text was taken from Hosea 14:4, which reads as follows: I will heal their backsliding, I will love them freely; for mine anger is turned away from him.

Rev. Hendrick in his glowing, almost poetical style told of God's love for those who have grown lukewarm and indifferent, but, put to them this question: "What can God do for a man who will not confess or turn away from his sin, but let him alone?" In explanation of why so many Christians have stormy periods in their experience, why they find it hard at times to be a Christian he said in effect that it is because they have wandered away from God. That anything will yield to persistent effort, that sin and Satan can be overcome if the fight is kept up was illustrated by the story of Cato, the Roman senator who closed every speech with, "And it is my opinion Carthage should be destroyed till he accomplished his purpose."

The reason we have not the power we ought to have is because we are not separated from the world. Find a Christian who hops and plays cards and you find a humbug. You can get in the wrong crowd and it is hard to say I am a Christian.

The minister deplored mixed marriages, drawing his conclusions from both sacred and profane history. He doesn't believe in a woman marrying a man to reform him; because in many instances both are lost. On the matter of keeping away from worldly things and in being careful as to the company one keeps, he enunciated a great truth that boys are more particular in choosing their associates than some girls sometimes. In this manner, boys would not go with girls who drank, smoke and used vile language, and yet girls often do. Speaking of the way women and girls could reform men of evil habits he suggested the practical method of keeping aloof from them, thereby discouraging instead of encouraging continuance in vice.

Rev. Hendrick pleads for the old time Sabbath and wants it kept in the old time way. Says he, "Dark is the day when the Sabbath has given to base ball and theater going. There never was a child of the living God who got into the far country who did not find he had wandered away from God at a fearful cost."

The evangelist commented on the back-slides and compared him to a dead sea which is always receiving something but never giving out anything. Saying the reason many back-slides is because they fail to study God's word. He emphasized that the Bible has wonderful power on the lives of men, and lamented the amount of ignorance of the Bible's teaching in the civilized world, among people who presume to be enlightened and educated. He exhorted the Christians to prayer and condemned the practice of some people who would go to a theater six nights out of the week and want a twenty minutes sermon on Sunday.

If it is a nome in Ada you want. See the Weaver Agency.

Some East Side bargains. Weaver Agency.

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EVER before in the career of this bank could it extend its customers as good service as it can today. Our equipment is first class and our facilities are up-to-date.

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E-RU-SA is the ONLY NON-NARCOTIC, NON-POISONOUS, and lawful pile cure. All scientific and medical authorities declare EVERY ingredient in E-RU-SA PILE REMEDY suitable for piles; same authorities condemn the INJURIOUS narcotic and other poisonous pile medicines, and Supreme Courts uphold these authorities. E-RU-SA CURES PILES OR \$50 PAID. ALL MODERN druggists of highest standing in Ada, Okla., sell E-RU-SA, viz: RAMSEY DRUG CO., GWIN MAYS CO., MAD-ON DRUG CO., ADA DRUG CO. and CRESCENT DRUG STORE.

Speaking Dates.

John P. Crawford, candidate for representative, Robt. Wimbish, candidate for county attorney, and R. M. Roddy candidate for state senator, will address the voters of Pontotoc county at the following times and places—Stonewall, Tuesday night, July 26th. Lula, Wednesday night, July 27th. Ahlosa, Thursday night, July 28th. Lovelady, Saturday night, July 30th. Ada, August 1st. Every one is invited to attend these

speaking and hear something interesting.

Will Camp a Week at Sulphur.

A party consisting of Mrs. W. M. Wilson and two children, Mrs. G. T. Howerton and daughter, Olivia, Mrs. J. O. Wheeler and Miss Venus Vaughan, left this morning for a week's outing at the Bromide Springs, Sulphur. Mrs. W. M. Watkins and daughter, Miss Roberta, of Konawa, are expected to join them tomorrow.

Wapco Flour Wapco Flour Wapco Flour

There is Absolutely None Better

Read what Mrs. W. S. DeLong, the lady in charge of the Calumet Baking Powder School held in Ada a short time ago, has to say about it:

"THE WAPLES PLATTER GRO. CO.: After using the WAPCO FLOUR I have no hesitancy in saying, that it is without question, the Best Flour I have ever used, and I take pleasure in recommending it to the public

Yours Resp't.,
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We have placed on sale Distilled Water. This water is the same that we use in ice making. Its absolutely pure. With our system of distilling and filtering it is impossible for any germs or foreign matter to get into it. If you drink nothing but distilled water as prepared by us there is no danger of fever. Ask your physician. For sale by all druggists.

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YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED

BOY KILLS CHUM IN GUN PLAY

Was Practicing for Literary Entertainment—Exonerated by Dead Boy's Parents.

Muskogee, Okla., July 14.—While practicing for a literary entertainment in a play requiring a gun play, Jacob Winkler was shot and instantly killed at Stone Bluff near here last night by his chum, Everett Olden.

OVERMAN IS CHAIRMAN OF CAROLINA CONVENTION

Charlotte, N. C., July 14.—The North Carolina democratic state convention was called to order here at noon Thursday by A. H. Eller, chairman of the state committee, who introduced United States Senator Lee S. Overman as temporary chairman. Chief interest in the convention centers in the nomination for associate justice of the supreme court and of a corporation commissioner.

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Has assisted more local enterprises than any other Bank in the City.

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GIRL RECEIVES JURY'S VERDICT

Judge Has to Leave and Instructs His Stenographer to Receive Verdict of a Jury.

Oklahoma City, Ok., July 14.—A fair-haired and pretty girl, a stenographer in the office of the court, presided over county court for ten minutes today in the absence of the Judge, receiving the verdict of the jury in an important case and discharging that body after the verdict had been returned. She is Miss Inez Mitchell.

Judge Sam Hooker had to catch a train shortly after the conclusion of the trial and instructed the young woman to remain in charge of the court.

"Is this your verdict?" she asked of the jury when the verdict had been read.

"It is," they all said with one accord.

"Very well. You are now discharged until tomorrow."

"Thank you, Judge," said each of the jurors.

HIDES MONEY IN HIS LEG.

Man Puts Roll in His Spine and Deceives Thugs.

Muskogee, Okla., July 15.—Jesse Thompson of Vinita is \$372 richer because thugs could not discover his roll, which he had secreted in a cavity in his wooden leg. Thompson was found in a joint in Muskogee by the police. Evidently he had been drugged by some thugs who intended to rob him. He was in a stupor when the police found him where the thugs had left him.

SOMETHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY AT SPOKANE

Spokane, Wash., July 14.—Work is progressing rapidly in Spokane on what experts say will be the longest span of concrete bridge in the world. The central arch of the Monroe street bridge in the heart of the city has a span of 281 feet, the highest point being 115 feet above the foot of the falls. The total length of the structure is between 1,100 and 1,200 feet. The distinction of the largest structure of the kind at present is the concrete bridge over the Wissahickon river in Philadelphia. It has a span of 233 feet. The Rocky river bridge now under construction in Cleveland will have a clear span of 280 feet. A span of 285 feet has been adopted to carry the New York barge canal over a gorge near Medina, N. Y. With the exception of the Hudson memorial bridge span of 710 feet in New York City, the longest single span yet proposed is that of a bridge now under construction at Rome, Italy. It will cross the Tiber river with a span of 328 feet.

The world's most successful medicine for bowel complaints is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It has relieved more pain and suffering, and saved more lives than any other medicine in use. Invaluable for children and adults. Sold by all dealers.

NEEDFUL KNOWLEDGE.

Ada People Should Learn to Detect the Approach of Kidney Disease.

The symptoms of kidney trouble are so unmistakable that they leave no ground for doubt. Sick kidneys excrete a thick, cloudy, offensive urine, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding. The back aches constantly, headaches and dizzy spells may occur and the victim is often weighed down by a feeling of languor and fatigue. Neglect these warnings and there is danger of dropsy, Bright's disease or diabetes. Any one of these symptoms is warning enough to begin treating the kidneys at once. Delay often proves fatal.

You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's Ada proof:

M. J. Malone, Jr., 325 W. Sixteenth St., Ada, Okla., says: "The results I obtained from the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from G. M. Ramsey's Drug Store, far exceeded my expectations. For five years I was a great sufferer from a weak back and other symptoms of kidney trouble. The kidney secretions were highly colored and attended by a scalding sensation in passage. I had sharp, piercing pains through my loins and a constant ache in my hips that made me miserable. Since using Doan's Kidney Pills my kidneys have been performing their functions properly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

ANANIAS IN FOURTH PLACE

Famous Prevaricator Not Even "Placed" in the Company of Theatrical Romancers.

Henry E. Dixey listened at the Lambs club the other night to the phenomenal adventures of three matinee idols. Then he said to the waiter in a loud voice that caused the romance weavers to start:

"Walter, fetch me a Bible." "If there is one free, sir," said the waiter. And he hurried off and soon returned with a Bible. "This one, sir, happened to be not in use." "Walter," said Mr. Dixey, "turn to the Acts of the Apostles, such and such a chapter, such and such a verse. Got it?"

"Yes, sir." "Then read." The waiter read, and the matinee idols, ceasing their fantastic and improbable tales of love, listened intently. What they heard was the familiar story of Ananias and Sapphira. When the waiter came to the words, "And Ananias went forth," Mr. Dixey stopped him.

"Stop there," he said. "And now, tell me, why did Ananias go forth?" "There was no answer. Neither the waiter nor the handsome young actors could reply. Then Mr. Dixey said: "I'll tell you why Ananias went forth. It was because Brown, Jones and Robinson (the three matinee idols) went first, second and third."—New York Times.

MORE ABOUT MRS. NEWLYWED

Eugene Zimmerman the Latest to Tell of the Doings of That Much Abused Lady.

Eugene Zimmerman, the well-known financier, whose daughter is so happily married to the Duke of Manchester, said in a recent interview in New York:

"The wedding season is now at hand and a good receipt for a happy marriage is for the bride to know all her duties and to fulfill them conscientiously, the husband, of course, doing the same.

"Too many young couples are as ignorant of their matrimonial responsibilities as a young Cincinnati bride was of housework.

"This bride's husband, the servants being off for the day, bustled into the kitchen and said impatiently:

"You know, we'll be late for the theater if you don't hurry dinner."

"Well," sighed the bride, "I can't tell what's the matter, but these coffee grains simply won't boil soft, and as for the eggs, they've been boiling at least two hours, and they're still as hard as ever."

"But the dinner was concluded at last, and then the young husband declared he couldn't find his silk hat."

"Oh," exclaimed his wife, "you said it needed ironing, you know, so I sent it this morning to the laundry with the wash."

Farmed Lands.

An exhaustive census investigation of farm interests throughout the United States showed that in the last ten years the total number of farms has increased 18 per cent. In the older states, from Ohio eastward, there has been going on for 20 years a tendency toward the amalgamation of farms distant from market into larger holdings. There are now almost three times as many farms as in 1870, and an unprecedented increase in the value of farm lands and live stock is the even more momentous fact revealed by this inquiry. The land in farms, with their buildings, improvements and live stock, is today almost \$30,000,000,000, a gain of 44 per cent. in ten years. Present values are 2 1/2 times the farm values of 30 years ago. In the north central states the increase in the value of farms is 43 per cent.; in the south central states, 58 per cent.; in the north Atlantic, 13 per cent., and in the south Atlantic, 34 per cent.

Use of Magnets in Flour Mills.

Explosions are often caused in flour mills and breweries by nails or other iron particles that find their way in the grain and which when they strike the steel rolls of the mills produce sparks and ignite the finely pulverized material about them.

Recently a large malting concern that has been troubled by many such explosions installed a set of electromagnets over which the grain is passed before being prepared for shipment to the breweries. All iron particles in the grain are picked up by the magnets and 800 to 1,000 bushels of grain are cleaned an hour. When the magnets have collected a large amount of metal they are swung to one side, de-energized and swept clean of any particles adhering to them by residual magnetism. Since the installation of these magnets there have been no explosions in the mills.—Scientific American.

She Got the Money.

Comtesse de Martel, the well-known novelist, who writes under the name of "Gyp," has a pretty wit. She was on one occasion assisting at a charity bazaar in Paris, to which came Baron Rothschild as a visitor. The writer immediately pressed him to buy something. "What am I to buy?" said the wealthy nobleman. "You have nothing I want. Stay, I have an idea. Sell me your autograph. I should like that. Without delay the lady took a sheet of note paper and wrote: "Received from Baron Rothschild the sum of one thousand francs for charity.—Gyp." The baron read, handed over the money willingly, and departed well pleased with the comtesse's ingenuity.

His Mysterious Malady

Bobby sat up and threw off the Afghan impatiently. "I feel fine now," he said. "I guess I'll go out for a while." His father shook his head. "Hold on a minute," he commanded. "Where are all those perfectly terrible sensations you had yesterday when you stayed home from school?"

"Oh, well, that was a whole day and a night ago," protested Bobby. "A feller could get well of 'most anything in that time."

"Especially as this is Saturday afternoon," said his father, thoughtfully. "You considered yourself a pretty sick boy yesterday."

"I was," said Bobby. "Gee, I felt something fierce! I never felt worse in my life."

"Then don't you think you ought to be very careful today?"

"If it was going to be anything it would have gone and done it by now," said Bobby. "Besides, I feel swell. I wouldn't 'a' laid down here, only mamma said I had to. I wish I knew what did it."

"What did you do on Thursday that was particularly festive?"

"Well, it was like this," Bobby began. "Nellie Foster she made fudge and, of course, I got some of it. It was swell, all right, only Billy didn't get a big piece and he whispered that there was too much choc'lat in it. I didn't say a word, but teacher she heard somebody whisper and she said for me to go out of the room and wait downstairs for her."

"I said I didn't whisper, and she said: 'What makes you always take that attitude, Robert?'"

"I said I wasn't taking any attitude—all I had was fudge."

"Then she got mad and sent me home, because she said I was impatient."

"Out in the yard I saw Jimmy. His brother's got scarlet fever and he can't come to school, but he waits for us fellers outside. He had an apple and he gave it to me so's I'd tell him something Susie Herrick said. I had enough of Susie Herrick when she was in my room at school, but Jimmy likes her."

"Was it a good apple?"

"No," said Bobby. "But I wouldn't let on that I was stung, so I ate it."

"Did you go home then?"

"Sure not," acknowledged Bobby. "There wasn't any hurry. Me and Jimmy went over to the park and I got some peanuts for the squirrels. We couldn't find any squirrels, so we ate the peanuts ourselves. I'm going to plant peanuts and see how they grow. Billy he planted some last year and we watched for 'em to come up and then 'long about July he remembered they were cooked."

"I thought Billy lived in a flat."

"He does, but he borrowed our yard to plant the peanuts. You know that big white house on the corner of aunt Mary's street?"

"Yes."

"Well, who do you s'pose is going to live there? Just Mamie Kelly!" said Bobby, triumphantly. "I 'most fell over when she told me. Gee, she'll be more conceited than ever when she's got three lilac bushes and a woodshed in her yard."

"You were telling me what you did Thursday."

"Oh, so I was. Well, then I got some popcorn and we went home to lunch and I was awful hungry. I ate a lot and I took three bananas to school, so's I wouldn't be hungry in the afternoon. I was going to give one to Billy and one to Nellie Foster, but first thing I knew I ate them all. I was awful sorry I had when Nellie Foster gave me a big piece of choc'lat cake after school. It was some quashed from her carrying it in a bag, but it was awful good. I got her a ice cream cone, but she didn't want it, and I had to eat 'em both myself. I never seen—saw—a girl that didn't like ice cream before."

"It is rather unusual."

"She felt awful bad about it; she was afraid I'd be mad, specially because they was nickel ones, but I didn't care much. Mamie Kelly gave me two big pickles, but the cones was gone by that time, so she didn't get any."

"But you ate the pickles?"

"Yep, I did," acknowledged Bobby, sheepishly. "But I said 'Thanks' just as Sam came along, and she gave him one, too. Then, of course, Sam he gave us some choc'lat creams. Say, there's a place he knows about where you can get lots of 'em for ten cents. Gee, but they're swell!"

"Were they the best things you had that day?"

"I should say not!" cried Bobby, with enthusiasm. "Why, I had three pieces of strawberry shortcake for dinner."

"Well, perhaps it was the shortcake that saved your life."

"Mamma thinks it was the medicine," said Bobby. "I certainly feel fine now. If I stay here I'll just get weaker and weaker till I can't get up, so I'd like to go outdoors. There's a ball game over in the big lot and I'm to pitch."

"Are you sure you ought to go?"

"Oh, yes. I can't see how it helps any to keep a feller in bed when he gets sick like that without any reason. Anyhow, there's Billy whistling for me."

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Allen Precinct, Sections 17, 19, 20, 29, 30, 31 and 32, Twp. 5 North, Range 8 East have been taken from Steadman precinct and added to Allen Precinct. Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23 and 24, Twp. 4 North, Range 8 East, have been added to Steadman Precinct and taken from Allen Precinct.

Union Valley has been created by taking Sections 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, and 33, Twp. 3 North, Range 7 East, from Owl Creek Precinct. Voting place at Union Valley School House.

Sections 30 and 31 of Twp. 2 North, Range 7 East, have been taken from Frisco Precinct and added to Franks Precinct.

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